



# Morgantown Police Department

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## Press Release

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*For the 4<sup>th</sup> of July there are two events that will alter traffic and slow or restrict traffic patterns.*

***The Morgantown Police Department will be altering traffic patterns on Thursday, July 04, 2013, for the Celebration of America Committee, 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade beginning at 4:00 pm. The parade will begin at 5:00 pm, on High Street and disperse at Pleasant Street.***

Parking will be restricted on High, Prospect and North High Streets beginning at 4:00 pm.

Traffic in the downtown area will be restricted during the parade. Traffic will be detoured from Willey Street onto Prospect Street back to University Avenue. Willey Street will be closed at University Avenue. Officers will be at the intersections to assist with traffic.

Traffic patterns will be returned to normal as soon as possible following the parade. Parade spectators are urged to arrive downtown early to allow ample time for parking.

The fireworks will be held at the Hazel Ruby McQuain Riverfront Park at dark and officers will be assisting with traffic before and after the fireworks.

The Morgantown Police Department is committed to its goal of eliminating crime in our city. Citizens are encouraged to become a "**Partner in Policing**", by reporting suspected criminal activity to Morgantown Police Department Switchboard at (304) 284-7522. If you need immediate Police attention or a crime is in progress call 911.

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